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## **SOYBEANS**

State and County	A		372-1-1 D A	D J42	
State and County	Acres		Yield Per Acre	Production	
	Planted	Harvested			
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels	
Maryland					
Allegany	-	-	-	-	
Garrett	-	-	-	-	
All Counties <sup>1</sup>	-	-	-	-	
Western	600	500	34.0	17,000	
Baltimore	8,600	7,600	32.4	246,000	
Carroll	18,200	16,400	29.4	482,000	
Frederick	22,600	19,900	31.0	616,000	
Harford	9,400	8,500	33.5	285,000	
Howard	2,300	2,100	26.2	55,000	
Montgomery	12,000	10,500	24.6	258,000	
Washington	7,700	7,000	29.7	208,000	
North Central	80,800	72,000	29.9	2,150,000	
Caroline	43,000	41,500	25.3	1,050,000	
Cecil	17,000	16,600	33.4	554,000	
Kent	33,500	32,600	23.8	776,000	
Queen Anne's	48,000	46,600	26.4	1,230,000	
Talbot	37,500	36,700	22.3	820,000	
<b>Upper Eastern</b>	179,000	174,000	25.5	4,430,000	
Anne Arundel	3,500	3,200	28.1	90,000	
Calvert	2,200	1,900	14.7	28,000	
Charles	9,500	8,200	17.7	145,000	
Prince George's	3,300	3,000	26.0	78,000	
St. Mary's	14,500	13,200	16.1	212,000	
Southern	33,000	29,500	18.7	553,000	
Dorchester	41,300	40,300	31.7	1,279,000	
Somerset	14,500	14,200	33.2	472,000	
Wicomico	20,300	19,700	25.8	509,000	
Worcester	30,500	29,800	28.5	850,000	
<b>Lower Eastern</b>	106,600	104,000	29.9	3,110,000	
State Total	400,000	380,000	27.0	10,260,000	
Delaware					
Kent	57,000	54,400	21.9	1,190,000	
New Castle	20,500	20,300	30.0	610,000	
Sussex	72,500	70,300	23.9	1,680,000	
State Total	150,000	145,000	24.0	3,480,000	

Counties with acreage too small to publish separately.

## **CROP PRODUCTION**

Winter Wheat Acreage and Production, MD, DE, and U.S., 2007-2008						
	Harvested Acres		Average Yield		Production	
State	2007	2008	2007	$2008^{1}$	2007	<b>2008</b> <sup>1</sup>
	1,000	1,000	Bushels	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	1,000 Bushels
Delaware	55	78	68.0	70.0	3,740	5,460
Maryland	170	215	68.0	66.0	11,560	14,190
United States	35,952	40,162	42.2	45.3	1,515,989	1,817,364

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> June 1, 2008 Forecast

#### U.S. AGRICULTURAL PRICES Mid-Month May 2007, Entire Month April 2008

Commodity	Unit –	U	Davida Dai				
		May 2007	April 2008	May 2008	Parity Price		
		Dollars					
Wheat, Winter	$\mathbf{BU}$	4.77	9.61	7.76	13.10		
Corn	$\mathbf{BU}$	3.49	5.15	5.12	8.25		
Barley	$\mathbf{BU}$	3.12	4.54	4.76	9.01		
Soybeans	$\mathbf{BU}$	7.12	12.00	12.30	20.40		
All Hay, Baled	TON	138.00	152.00	166.00			
Apples, Fresh	LB	0.269	0.335	0.339	0.784		
All Beef Cattle	CWT	92.80	86.60	90.50	250.00		
Calves	CWT	124.00	116.00	116.00	362.00		
Hogs	CWT	53.10	44.30	54.10	137.00		
Broilers	LB	0.470	0.460	0.480			
Turkeys	LB	0.483	0.551	0.580	1.370		
Milk, All	CWT	18.00	18.00	18.20	47.80		
Eggs, Market	DOZ	0.618	0.884	0.698	2.18		

1/ Agricultural Prices are published at the end of each month for the United States and selected states. Maryland is not in the monthly prices program; however, price information is available for Maryland commodities at the end of each production year. Each Friday, the Maryland Agricultural Statistics Service in cooperation with the University of Maryland and Maryland Department of Agriculture publishes the Maryland Grain and Livestock report. This reports contains market analysis of local price tends by University economists and current commodity price quotes from local and regional markets throughout Maryland and can be viewed at http://www.nass.usda.gov/md/rlsetoc.htm#Grain

#### JULY RELEASE HIGHLIGHTS

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